

Earthquakes in Turkey and Syria

God, silently we stand in front of you
with our questions and
our fears.

The earth has shaken and
thousands of people have lost
their lives.

Countless are injured and
many more mourning for
their dead family members.
And fear for the lives
of the injured friends and relatives.

God, we stand in front of you shaken
with our fears
and doubts.

Many are on the road
to give help to those
who carry away the rubble
with their bare hands
to save lives.

God, struggling for words, we stand
in front of you with our doubts
but also our hope.

Show yourself in the many
small and big gestures
of helpfulness as
the God of devotion
and mercy.

Let us also pray
and be by the side of those
who need us now.

For you are the God
of faithfulness, love and peace.

AMEN